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# THE NEW DELAWARE ELECTION LAW.

We have already spoken of the perversion of all sound principle involved in the provisions of the new bill designed to supplement the legislation of last session placing all elections for Representatives in Congress under the control of United States marshals and their deputies. The bill, which bears the deceptive title of "An act to enforce the rights of citizens to vote in the several States of the Union," and which contains nineteen long, cumbersome and complicated sections, is the most alarming stride in the direction of absolute centralization and the complete subjugation of all State rights and State laws beneath the foot of federal power, which has been attempted in the history of the country. What heretofore has only been sought to be accomplished by gradual approach and stealthy and measured steps, this bill proposes to effect at a single bound. By the first section of the new bill the federal government takes full and absolute possession of the registry of voters provided for by the laws of any State, and control of all State officers of registration. Any violation of the State law becomes, therefore, necessarily a crime against the United States, to be taken cognizance of in federal courts. Not relying, however, upon the faithful performance of their duties by the State registers, inspectors and judges of election, the bill next provides for the appointment by the United States Circuit Judges of two federal supervisors of elections in every election district in cities and towns having 20,000 inhabitants. By the fourth section of the act, these supervisors are to attend at all times and places fixed for the registration of voters, and personally inspect and scrutinize the registry. By the fifth section, they are to attend at all times and places for holding elections for Representatives in Congress, and for counting the votes cast, and to remain with the ballot-box until the last vote is counted. By the sixth section, these supervisors, on the days of registration and of election, are authorized to take, occupy and remain in such position or positions at the place of registration or election as they may see fit, before or behind the ballot-boxes, as their judgment may dictate, and when the poll shall be closed they may place themselves in such position with reference to the ballot-boxes as they may choose, for the purpose of canvassing the votes. All this they may do practically to the entire exclusion of the State officers, registers, judges and inspectors. And the penalty for any interference with the supervisors, or of refusing to aid them when called upon, is imprisonment for not less than one year, and a fine of from \$1000 to \$3000 or both.

Nor is this half of the machinery of intimidation and oppression provided for by the bill under the pretext of enforcing the rights of citizens to vote. By the eighth section every marshal of the United States is empowered, and it is made his duty, to appoint, upon the application of two citizens, "special deputies" to assist in the enforcement of the law. These are to attend, not as heretofore, on election days only, but at all times and places specified for the attendance of the supervisors—that is, through the whole period of registration, of voting and of counting of ballots. They may arrest, with or without process, any person who shall commit or attempt to commit any of the things prohibited by the act, or by any act of last session, or "who shall commit any offense against any law of the United States;" and if these deputy marshals should themselves violate the laws—if they should be drunk or disorderly and interfere with the freedom and good order of the election, we be to the State officer, magistrate or policeman who should venture to lay a hand upon them. By the tenth section, the same penalties as in the case of any interference with the supervisors are denounced against any person who shall dare attempt to "interfere with, remove or eject them from any such place of registration or poll of election."

Finally, the crown of all the monstrousities of this most monstrous bill, by the 12th section each and all of those functionaries, big and little, supervisors and deputy marshals, has the army and navy of the United States at his beck and call. He may summon a posse comitatus of the military officers for aid, and in the language of the bill, "it shall be the duty of such commanding officer, upon such requisition being made, to obey it without delay." Thus to stimulate the zeal of this army of officials, clothed with powers more terrible than those of a Russian police, the bill provides that each and every supervisor or deputy marshal receive compensation at the rate of five dollars per day, for each and every day he shall actually have been on duty, not exceeding ten days.

Who can wonder, in view of the use proposed to be made of the army by this bill, and of what has already taken place under the previous act, that Mr. Brooks, of New York, declared in the House last week, when the army appropriation bill was under discussion, that, so help him God, he would never vote one dollar for the pay of the army while the bayonet election law remained upon the statute-book. Better far would it be to disband the army to-morrow, to dismantle every fort in the United States, and to burn and destroy every musket and cannon owned by the government, than to convert the military forces of the government into an engine for the suppression of the liberties of the people.

We have given but an imperfect and meagre outline of this bill of nineteen sections. No further argument is needed to show the madness and wickedness of such a scheme of legislation. The case is too plain for argument, and a mere statement of the provisions of the bill is, or ought to be, its sufficient condemnation. It should be enough to say that such a bill is actually pending, that it has already passed one house of Congress, that it is, after all, but a corollary to that which passed last session, and that it is quite within the range of political probabilities that this one may pass also, to cage the voice of indignant protest arising throughout the length and breadth of the land.—Baltimore Sun.

**MARRIED.**  
On the evening of the 15th inst., by Rev. J. S. Lane, Mr. James Keelig, of Red Lion, Del., to Miss Rebecca J. McNamee, of Odessa, Del.

**THE MARKETS.**  
MIDDLETOWN MARKET.  
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY A. T. BRADLEY.

Wheat, prime	50
Do, yellow	48
Do, white	50
Oats	32
Timothy Seed	75
Clover	25
Eggs	35
Butter	15
Lard	15
Hogs dressed	8
Chickens	14
Ducks	18
Turkeys	12
Geese	12
Potatoes	10

Wheat, prime.....\$1 50  
Do, yellow.....70  
Do, white.....75  
Oats.....25  
Flour.....11 25  
Prime red wheat.....\$1 55  
Corn, yellow.....77  
Do, white.....78  
Oats (Pennsylvania).....62  
Clovered.....86  
Timothy.....90

**TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
OF A  
**VALUABLE FARM** in Kent County,  
NEAR KENNEDYVILLE, MD.  
BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County, sitting as a Court of Equity, the undersigned as Trustee, will offer at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, at the Hotel of D. U. Dewees, in Kennedyville, Kent County, Maryland, on  
**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15th, 1871.**  
Between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 1 o'clock, P. M.,  
**ALL THAT FARM**  
KNOWN AS THE MAXWELL OR DUNLAP FARM, and now occupied by Lewis C. Justis, and containing  
**381 Acres, 1 Road and 16 Perches,**  
MORE OR LESS.  
This Farm lays about one mile from Kennedyville, the present terminus of the Kent County Railroad, and adjoins the lands of the late Daniel Jones, Dr. T. C. Kennard, and others.  
The Farm is divided into five fields, and is under good fencing, all the roads being enclosed by a good Orange Hedge. About  
**65 Acres are in Meadow and Wood,**  
the balance all arable. The soil is a medium clay, kind and productive, has been well limed, and is in a high state of cultivation. No portion of Kent County is more fertile or improving, or more accessible to the markets of Baltimore and Philadelphia, there being a daily boat to Baltimore, touching at Turner's Creek, two and a half miles from this farm.  
The Kent County Railroad, as extended, cuts one corner of the farm, giving opportunity for delivery of lime, &c. on the farm; and the track is now laid four miles below Kennedyville, and will soon be completed to Chester-town.  
The improvements are a two-story BRICK DWELLING in good condition; three rooms and a Kitchen, and down stairs, and four rooms up stairs.  
There are the usual OUT BUILDINGS.  
**TERMS OF SALE.**—One thousand dollars, cash, on the day of sale, and the balance in three equal instalments, in six, eighteen, and thirty-six months from the day of sale; the credit payments to be secured by the purchaser's bond, with approved security, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Stamps and deed at expense of purchaser.  
J. A. PEARCE, Trustee.  
Feb. 25, 1871—3w.

**Hiram Lodge No. 25, A. F. A. M.**  
NEWARK, DELAWARE.  
REV. JOHN COLLINS McCABE, D. D. Grand Master of Masons,  
**WILL LECTURE**  
At Delaware College, Newark,  
WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 1st, 1871.  
SUBJECT:  
*The Misfortunes and Infirmities of Men of Genius.*  
ALSO, ON  
WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 8th, 1871.  
SUBJECT:  
*Woman's Rights and Women's Wrongs.*  
At 7 o'clock.  
Admission to each Lecture 50 cents.  
Feb. 25—2w.

**SPRING FASHIONS NOW READY!**  
**Mrs. M. A. Binder, 1101.**  
N. W. COR. ELEVENTH AND CHESTNUT STS. PHILADELPHIA.  
Importer and Designer of Fashions.  
THE old established and only reliable DRESS TRIMMING, PAPER PATTERN, DRESS AND CLOAK MAKING EMPORIUM.  
Elegantly trimmed Paper Patterns, Wholesale and Retail.  
Gloves, Ribbons and Sashes, Laces, Embroidering, Jet, Gilt, and Pearl Jewelry. Evening dresses and suits, made in the most fashionable style at short notice.  
Perfect system of Dress Cutting taught.  
N. B.—Orders by mail, promptly attended to.  
Feb. 25, 1871—3m.

**J. B. FOARD,**  
Middletown Delaware,  
SOLE AGENT FOR  
**E. JEFFERSON & SON,**  
New Castle,  
FOR THE PURCHASE OF  
**GRAIN,**  
AND SALE OF  
**LIME, FERTILIZERS, SEEDS, &c.**  
Jan. 1—3m.

**GEO. W. INGRAM,**  
AUCTIONEER.  
Middletown Delaware.  
All orders addressed to him will receive prompt attention.  
Nov. 26—4mos.

**B. D. BROWN.** W. P. GALLAGHER.  
**BROWN & GALLAGHER,**  
(FORMERLY WITH G. W. MIDDLETON.)  
IMPORTERS OF  
**FINE BRANDIES, WINES, GINS, &c.**  
AND DEALERS IN  
**RYE, WHEAT, AND BOURBON WHISKY.**  
No. 11 South 9th Street, Philadelphia.  
Jan. 29—7

**STATEMENT**  
Of the Receipts and Expenditures of New Castle County, for the year 1870, together with its present Debt and balance due from Collectors for the years 1869 and 1870.

**RECEIPTS.**  
Balance in the Treasury March 1st, 1870 \$ 3,194 76  
From Collectors for 1869 113 08  
" " " 1869 444 05  
" " " 1870 9,424 76  
" " " 1867 and 1868 75,040 86  
For Dog Tax From Collectors for 1869 for Dog Tax 73 33  
From Collectors for 1870 for Dog Tax 297 00  
From Coupon Bonds 27,750 00  
From Wharf Rent from Charles Warner & Co. 30 00  
From Levy Court Commissioners New Castle and Frenchtown Turnpike and Rail Road Co. 2,477 57  
" " " 1,000 00  
\$120,354 01

**EXPENDITURES.**  
Land Damages \$ 1,191 32  
Services on Public Roads 293 00  
Accounts allowed by the Levy Court 30,911 00  
Sunday School 337 22  
Interest 4,315 00  
Grand Jurors 659 16  
2,189 94  
1,633 92  
Witnesses before the Grand Inquest 1,567 40  
Magistrates attendance at Court 39 24  
Constables 5 36  
Jail Commissioners Drafts for Supplies to Prison and Workhouse 2,886 78  
Gas for Court House and Prison 645 50  
Donation to Orphans Asylum, St. Peters R. C. Church, Wilmington Bonds for construction of St. Augustine Bridge 3,000 00  
Loans paid 10,000 00  
Stamps 20 50  
Making Examining and Certifying certain indices in Probationary Office 390 00  
County Prison, Due April 1, 1872 70 00  
Commissions Dog Tax 157 50  
Levy Court Commissioners, Drafts for Appropriations 28,703 55  
County Treasurers Salary 500 00  
Balance in the Treasury Feb. 16, 1871 \$120,354 01  
COUNTY DEBT FEBRUARY 16, 1871.  
Wilmington Bridge Loan Due April 1st, 1871. \$25,000 00  
Coupon Bonds, issued for building County Prison, Due April 1, 1872 4,000 00  
Coupon Bonds, issued for building County Prison, Due April 1, 1873 10,000 00  
Coupon Bonds, issued for building County Prison, Due April 1, 1874 12,500 00  
Coupon Bonds issued to meet deficiencies for 1869 and 1870, Due April 1, 1872 10,000 00  
Coupon Bonds issued to meet deficiencies for 1869 and 1870, Due April 1, 1874 10,000 00  
Coupon Bonds issued to meet deficiencies for 1869 and 1870, Due April 1, 1876 10,000 00  
County Tax Levied for the year 1870 Received from Collectors on account of the same 75,040 86  
Balance due from Collectors of 1870 subject to Errors and Commissions \$36,421 18  
Balance due from Collectors of 1869 subject to Errors and Commissions \$7,700 25  
Balance due from New Castle and Frenchtown Turnpike and Rail Road Company—Due January 1, 1872 \$1,000 00  
J. B. CLARKSON, Late County Treasurer.  
Feb. 25—1w.

**Administrator's Sale**  
OF  
**REAL ESTATE!**  
BY virtue of an Order of the Orphan's Court of the State of Delaware, in and for New Castle County, made the 20th day of February, A. D. 1871, will be exposed to sale at Public Auction, on  
**SATURDAY, the 11th day of MARCH, 1871.**  
At one o'clock, P. M.  
At the hotel of William T. Chance, Odessa, Del. the following described lands and tenements, being part of the Real Estate of the late William V. Vandegrift, dec'd, the same being ordered to be sold for the payment of his debts, to wit: A tract of land situated in Vances Neck, in St. Georges Hundred, adjoining lands of Wilson F. Vandegrift, Leonard G. Vandegrift and other, containing about  
**300 ACRES OF LAND,**  
Marsh and Upland, with FRAME DWELLING HOUSE and OUT BUILDINGS thereon. Subject to the Widow's Dower.  
Attendance will be given, and terms of sale made known by the Administrators, or by C. B. Lore, Esq. their Attorney.  
Attest, BENJ. R. USTICK, Clerk of Orphan's Court.  
The above property is well worth the attention of capitalists, being situated on the road from Port Penn, about two miles from each place, and one mile from Augustine Landing, where lime can be landed, or grain shipped; and where large quantities of peaches are shipped every year to Philadelphia, or other market at a very small expense. Good School within half-mile, and in the midst of a community whose morals are proverbially good, making it a desirable place of residence. There is on the farm at present about  
**5,500 Peach Trees,**  
from 3 to 7 years old, all in bearing order, and being near the water often bear when other orchards more inland fail. The natural soil is good, and with very little expense can be made very productive. About 125 acres is marsh and crumple, which can be embanked at a small cost to the owner; it being a part of the Augustine marsh Company, and we have no doubt the company will put up their bank very soon. Independent of the company, there are ravines making up inland, which could be embanked by the owner at a very trifling cost, and would be valuable acquisitions to the farm. Any further information respecting the above property will be given with pleasure by either of the undersigned.  
FRANCIS T. PERRY, J. THOMAS CAVENDER, Adms.  
Feb. 20—1w.

**BRICK, BRICK!!**  
ALL kinds of good hard-baked Brick, at reduced prices, for Sale, at New Castle. Loaded on Board of Cars or Vessels. All orders promptly filled.  
JOHN GUYER & SON, New Castle, Del.  
Jan. 28—1y.

**VICTOR GREEN,**  
Attorney at Law,  
Office Adjacent His Ranges, N. Broad St. MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE.  
July 2—7

**FOR RENT.**  
A ROOM on Main Street, one door east of National Hotel. Apply to  
JOHN T. HANES, MIDDLETOWN, Pa.  
Jan. 14—4f.

**SPECIAL NOTICES.**  
**FINE READY MADE CLOTHING.**  
228 MARKET STREET, 2nd Door below THIRD WILMINGTON, DELAWARE.  
**THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF**  
Ready Made Clothing in Delaware,  
Our Own Make, now on hand, and will be sold at less than Philadelphia Prices.  
All our Clothing is made in Superior manner by PRACTICAL TAILORS.  
The Proprietor having an experience of over thirty years in this business, will guarantee satisfaction to any purchaser.  
A full line of  
**FINE CLOTHS,**  
CASSIMERES, and  
VESTINGS  
Constantly on hand for  
**ORDER WORK,**  
which will be made in the  
**LATEST STYLE AND BEST MANNER,**  
At No. 228 Market Street,  
The Oldest Established Clothing Emporium in Delaware.  
March 16—7  
**Edward Moore**

**DEAFNESS, BLINDNESS AND CATARRH** treated with the utmost success, by J. ISAACS, M. D. and Professor of Diseases of the Eye and Ear (his specialty) in the Medical College of Philadelphia, 13 years experience, (formerly of Leyden, Holland), No. 805 Arch street, Philadelphia. Testimonials can be seen at his office. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. Artificial eyes inserted without pain. No charge for examination.  
apr 15—1y.

**PUBLIC SALE.**  
THE subscriber will sell at Public Sale, on the farm owned by T. W. McClackin, in Pender County, N. C., on the road leading from Summit Ridge to Glasgow, on  
**SATURDAY, February 25th, 1871.**  
At 10 o'clock, A. M.  
His entire stock and farming utensils, consisting of  
FOUR HEADS OF HORSES, 2 of them are good brood Mares, supposed to be with foal; ONE BAY HORSE, good driver; SIXTEEN HEADS OF CATTLE, 4 of them superior Milk Cows; all in good shape; 4 full-blooded Durham Bulls, one year old; 1 head of the young Cattle; 2 Chester White Swine.  
**FARMING UTENSILS.**  
Consisting of one Combined Reaper and Mower, as good as new; 2 good iron axle Farm Wagons, one of them used but little; 2 hay rakes, 1 steel-toothed Wheel Rake, new; 1 Van Winkle Fan, 6 plows, 2 twin harrows, 1 new; 3 cultivators, shovels, hoes, forks, rakes, &c.; 1 good double Carriage and Harness, 2 sets of Wagon Harness, 4 sets of plow gears, leather, single and double-tree, 3 good leather nets, 1 farm bell, hay by the ton, and many other articles not mentioned.  
**TERMS OF SALE.**—All sums of \$20 and under cash on all sums above \$20 a credit of six months will be given, by the purchaser giving a bankable note with approved endorser, interest and stamps added.  
No postponement on account of the weather.  
Feb. 18—2w. N. R. INGRAM.

**A VALUABLE FARM**  
AT  
**PRIVATE SALE.**  
THE subscriber offers at Private Sale the FARM in Middle Neck, Cecil county, Md. known as the "Oak Farm," about five miles from Middletown, Del., four from Warwick, and one west of the contemplated Eastern Shore Railroad; containing  
**266 ACRES OF ARABLE LAND,**  
and about 20 Acres of Marsh. The farm is divided into six fields, and in good state of cultivation (there has been 10,000 bushels of quick lime put on in the last four years, the soil being well adapted to all kinds of grain and fruits). There is on  
**PEACH ORCHARD of 3,000 Trees,**  
of choice fruit, four years old this spring. The buildings consist of a substantial FRAME DWELLING 42 x 24 feet, with two rooms and passage below, and four up stairs; a good barn with Back Building and Kitchen; good cellar under main building, and all necessary Out-buildings in good order.  
This is one of the most desirable farms in this part of the country, and worthy of the attention of persons wishing to invest in real estate. Persons wishing to purchase will call on the subscriber, who will show them over the farm, or address him at Middletown, Del.  
BENJ. M. CRAWFORD.  
Feb. 18—1m.

**ATTENTION FARMERS!**  
THE undersigned, residing on Bohemia Manor, five miles from Middletown, Del. and one mile from St. Augustine, will take fifteen or twenty head of Cattle to winter.  
HENRY T. MASSEY.  
Feb. 18—3w.

**For Sale.**  
TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND Two year old Usage Plants, at low rates.  
Apply to  
W. GREEN, or  
A. H. HUSIABECK, Middletown, Del.  
Feb. 18—1f.

**THOMAS S. DUNNING, A. M. M. D.**  
Homeopathic Physician.  
Has removed to Old Transcript Office on Main Street, Middletown, Del.  
Office hours, 10 to 9 A. M.  
1 to 6 P. M.  
dec 3—1f

**FARMERS**  
Will Please Take Notice  
THAT I am prepared to give the HIGHEST CASH PRICE for GRAIN upon the order of E. JEFFERSON & SON, New Castle, Del. and solicit a share of your patronage. Office near the Depot, formerly occupied by Huzlock & Cochran.  
J. B. FOARD, Middletown, Del.  
jan 14—1f

**WEDDING RINGS.**  
No. 354 SOUTH EIGHTH STREET, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.  
March 6—1f

**LIGHT FOR THE WORLD.**  
**B. Sweet & Co.'s**  
**CELEBRATED COMET OIL.**  
THE CHEAPEST, CLEANEST AND MOST BRILLIANT LIGHT EVER DISCOVERED!  
An invention worthy the consideration of all, and the only reliable substance yet discovered for Kerosene.  
Commands the admiration of all who have witnessed the use of this celebrated Fluid. It is founded upon the strict rules of chemistry and is a full confidence of its superiority over every other oil now before the public, and do hereby  
**CHALLENGE COMPETITION**  
**FROM THE WORLD.**  
The Comet Oil costs from 20 to 24 cents per gallon, and is warranted to give one-third more light and last one-half longer than the same amount of the best kerosene. It is an article that the public have long stood in need of, for kerosene, although a great improvement over the old tallow candle, has to say the least of it, a great many disadvantages. In almost every paper that you take up you read of some horrible accident from the use of Kerosene.  
This is perfectly non-explosive; contains no Naphtha or Benzine, and is compounded in such a manner as to render it perfectly safe in any kind of a lamp or burner, with or without chimney. For hand lamps such as are used in the most weak and delicate eyes, it gives a beautiful bright flame and can be carried through halls and rooms where there are draughts of air and doors opening and closing, without being extinguished as a great many lamps are liable to be. Many who have to work by the light of kerosene complain that the light causes pain around the temples, and in and around the eyes, especially the latter. Our oil gives a soft, clear flame that does not dazzle and will not injure the most weak and delicate eyes.  
Kerosene often generates gas which forms in the lamps, and is one of the reasons why so many accidents are constantly happening, which we read of from the columns of our papers, often resulting in loss of life and frequently in the loss of limbs or eyesight, or disfiguring the victims in such a manner as to render life miserable and unhappy. Kerosene breaks and smokes up chimneys, it causes expense and annoyance. It increases the wick and has a very disagreeable smell. All these difficulties and a great many more are obviated in our Comet Oil. All we ask is that the public give our Fluid and better kerosene a fair trial, and you will have no hesitancy in recommending them to others.  
Facts that all will acknowledge after testing our oil:  
1. It will burn longer and give a better light than any other oil.  
2. It can be made with one-fourth the cost of kerosene.  
3. It will not soil the clothes if spilled on them.  
4. It will not explode.  
5. It is free from odor, stain or smoke.  
6. The ingredients can be obtained at any country grocery.  
7. Its softness of light is equal to alcohol.  
8. It will not weaken the eyes or lungs as kerosene does by constant use.  
9. It will burn in any lamp with or without chimney.  
10. It will not waste by evaporation.  
11. It is cheaper and better in every respect than any other oil ever invented.  
12. Thousands are using it and are perfectly delighted with it.  
13. Give our light to be a good thing and do not suppose to keep it hid under a bushel! But we do propose not only to let it shine, but to Outdo everything that is brought into competition, and thereby not only benefit ourselves, by getting our oil thoroughly introduced by good and faithful agents, but by a lasting benefit to the whole country. We might fill up an unlimited space in laying before you the merits of this useful invention, but prefer that  
**YOU SHOULD SEE**  
AND  
**Judge for Yourself,**  
and in order that none may be deceived from this privilege we are introducing it in such a way and on such terms as to place it within the reach of all. For Two Dollars we will send you one Family Right with full directions how to manufacture our Oil. The ingredients can be procured in any town or village in the United States or Canada. These Rights are not transferable without the consent of the Proprietors, either verbally or otherwise.  
B. SWEET & CO. Marshall, Mich.  
Sole Proprietors.  
CHARLES ADAMS, AGENT OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY.  
**TESTIMONIALS.**  
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.  
Feb. 17th, 1871.  
I have used the Comet Oil, and can unhesitatingly recommend it as giving a better and brighter light than coal oil.  
WM. H. BARR.  
The land is a rich, sandy loam, yellow clay subsoil, is well improved, and adapted to peaches and all kinds of grain or truck. The improvements are a good TENANT HOUSE, with two rooms, and the entire tract is under good chestnut fence. About 35 acres are under cultivation, and the balance in Chestnut, Hickory and White Oak Timber.  
A splendid spring branch waters every field. Located midway and commanding the whole tract of freight by railroad or steamboat, this tract of land offers great inducements to persons desiring to enter upon the cultivation of truck of all kinds. The title is indisputable.  
Terms made known on day of sale.  
GEO. W. INGRAM & CO. Real Estate Agents.  
Feb. 18—1w.

**FARMERS!!**  
**Look to your Interests.**  
A VAIL yourselves of what may be your only opportunity to get Pure Norway Oats for seed without paying any money—for a short time I will offer to furnish a few reliable farmers with genuine Norway Oats for seed, on the following conditions:  
Each farmer on application will receive as many bushels of oats as he may desire, for which he will be required to give his receipt and specify on the same that he will deliver at Middletown Depot, or some other depot on the Railroad, four bushels of Norway Oats, for me, on or before the 1st day of October 1871. Each applicant will be served in order, in quantities of not less than ten bushels. By this means he will get his seed oats for nothing, and from my experience with the oats and from the numerous testimonials I have seen in their favor, I believe he will have more bushels to sell after paying me back, than he would have had from any other oats, besides getting his seed oats for nothing. These oats have proven, on a trial of several years, to be very superior to all other kinds in point of yield, besides having such a stiff straw that they are little or no danger of blowing down. From that I have seen of them I believe they will produce, under favorable circumstances from fifty to eighty bushels to the acre. I raised last year about thirty bushels to the acre on poor ground as there is in New Castle Co. I sowed one bushel to the acre, but owing to the fact that they were drilled in on freshly plowed ground and followed by a beating rain, they were covered too deep and only about one-half bushel came up. All who see them thereabout that had been thick enough they would have produced from fifty to sixty bushels to the acre. Mr. D. H. Higgins, near McGeoughs, raised them last year and considered them vastly superior to any other oats he has tried. Our seed needs changing as much as our Stock, and a good crop of oats is therefore more profitable than a crop of wheat, therefore, it pays best to get the best seed. All those who have to sow Norway Oats next Spring are cordially invited to visit E. T. Evans or A. T. Bradley, at Middletown Depot, and there learn the origin of the oats, and read some of the numerous testimonials in their favor. Those farmers who prefer to buy them can do so for \$2.00 per bushel, cash or ninety day note. Orders either way, may be left with E. T. Evans, or A. T. Bradley or with the subscriber.  
E. R. COCHRAN, Middletown, Del.  
Jan. 28—10w.

**REGISTER'S ORDER.**  
**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**  
NEW CASTLE COUNTY, Del. 19th, 1870.  
Upon the application of Samuel Fenimore, Administrator of Thomas Murphy, late of Appomattock Hundred in said County, deceased, it is ordered and directed by the Register that the Administrator aforesaid, give notice of the granting of Letters of Administration upon the Estate of the deceased, with the date of granting thereof, by causing advertisements to be posted within forty days from the date of such Letters, in six of the most public places of the County of New Castle, requiring all persons having demands against the Estate, to present the same, or abide by an Act of Assembly in such case made and provided. And also cause the same to be inserted within the same period in the Middletown Transcript, a newspaper published in Middletown, and to be continued therein two months.  
Given under the hand and Seal of Office of the Register aforesaid, at New Castle, in New Castle County aforesaid, the day and year above written.  
B. GILLESPIE, Register.

**NOTICE.**—All persons having claims against the Estate of the deceased must present the same duly attested to the Administrator on or before December 1st, 1871, or abide by an Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.  
SAMUEL FENIMORE, Administrator.  
Address, Odessa, Del.  
Dec. 24—2m.

**E. B. RICE,**  
with  
**FERREE, ENTWISLE & CO.**  
Produce Commission Merchants,  
Berries, Peaches, Apples,  
Poultry, &c.  
STAND NO. 4, OPPOSITE 152 WEST STREET, NEW YORK.  
T. E. FERREE, ED. ENTWISLE, S. VALENTINE.  
REFERENCES BY PERMISSION:  
H. N. WILLIS, Esq., Middletown, Del.  
B. F. HANSON, Esq., " "  
W. P. LINDELL, Esq., Goldboro, Md.  
W. P. LINDELL, Esq., Wyeonung, Del.  
A. B. HAYS, Esq., Cashier N. River Bank, N. Y.  
John Warfield, Esq., Baltimore, Md.  
S. S. WYCKOFF & Co., New York.  
Will remove to No. 180 Chamber Street, May 1st, 1871.  
Feb. 11—1f

**PEACH GROWERS ATTENTION!**  
**FOR SALE.**  
10,000 BUSHELS WOOD ASHES once bleached. On boat or cars in Baltimore. The cheapest Fertilizer in the market, costing only \$2.00 per ton of 2000 lbs. Apply at once (as they are rapidly selling) to  
WM. REYNOLDS, Newark, Del.  
P. S.—I have secured the ash production of two large Factories in Baltimore, and will have Ashes for sale Spring and Fall.  
W. R. Feb. 4—1f

**FOR RENT.**  
THE STORE HOUSE in Middletown, formerly occupied by John A. Reynolds & Sons. Apply to  
ROBT. A. COCHRAN, Feb. 4—1f

**VALUABLE TOWN LOT.**  
WE offer for sale the valuable Building Lot upon Main Street, adjoining the National Hotel. This is one of the best sites in town for either a dwelling or business stand.  
GEO. W. INGRAM & CO. Real Estate Agents  
Middletown, Del. Feb. 11th, 1871—1f

**A GREAT OFFER.**  
**HORACE WATERS,**  
481, Broadway, New York.  
WILL dispose of ONE HUNDRED PIANOS, MELOPHONES and ORGANS of six first-class makers, including Chickering & Sons, at extremely low prices for cash, during this month, or will take from \$5 to \$25 monthly installment.  
June 4—3m

**M. E. DICKSON,**  
No. 354 SOUTH EIGHTH STREET, PHILADELPHIA.  
DEALER IN  
**WATCHES AND JEWELRY.**  
SOLID STERLING  
Silver and Plated Ware,  
Suitable for Holiday Presents.  
N. B.—Fine selection of 18 Kt. Wedding Rings on Hand.  
Gold, Silver and Steel Spectacles to suit all ages.  
Dec. 10—1f

**FOR RENT.**  
THE ROOMS now occupied by the Citizens National Bank. Possession on or about the 25th of March. Apply to  
J. B. CLARKSON, Feb. 11—3w

**REMOVAL!!**  
**NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.**  
HAVING removed to 228 Market Street, on the corner of Broad and Main streets, we are now prepared to meet our customers and friends on a substantially larger and more extensive assortment of New Goods, consisting in part as follows:  
**DRESS GOODS.**  
Beautiful shades of Blue, Green, Brown and Black Empire Cloths and Patterns. The Celebrated Buffalo Brand of Black Alpaca in new and old styles. Plain shades, figured and plain Delaines, plaid, Poplins, for Men's and Children's dresses, &c.  
**DOMESTIC COTTON GOODS.**  
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